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In re application of:)	Art Unit: 3763
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App. No. 10/562,341)	Attorney Docket: Telecath
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Filed: December 23, 2005)	Confirmation No.: 4152
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Computer Assisted Manipulation of)	
Catheters and Guide Wires)	Date: June 3, 2009

Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement

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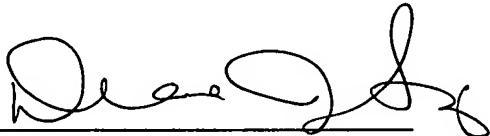
submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in a prior application relied on under 35 U.S.C. §120.

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It is respectfully requested that the Examiner initial and return a copy of the enclosed form PTO-1449, and indicate in the official file wrapper of this patent application that the documents have been considered.

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Respectfully submitted,



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